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Eight years of democratic rule in the city has reduced the debt from \$134,000 to less than \$25,000. Charles Christen was chairman of the finance committee during all that time. He knows how to conduct the affairs of the city and as mayor would wield an influence that would prove beneficial to every citizen and resident.

Some of the opposition is greatly worried over the political outlook and being unable to criticize the splendid men who have been nominated by the democrats insist on saying that it is a machine-picked ticket. Just how this could be true in a primary where every one was given an opportunity to become a candidate and where the people voted their own sentiments, we can't explain, but we confess that there are a lot of things about politics that we don't know and we have an idea that the little bunch of republicans who have met in a little two-by-four hall for the past forty years and named a ticket, may be experts at the game. If so, would that they mind telling just where the "frame-up" is? At least it is something to admit that the ticket is an exceptionally strong one, and that, every one does.

Democrats, republicans, independents and bull moosers, can without fear or trembling support the splendid ticket nominated by the democrats at Tuesday's primary. It is a ticket of men who are progressive yet conservative, who realize the needs of the city, who live here and pay taxes.

Their interests are your interests and every citizen and every taxpayer in Decatur may safely trust his affairs with such men as Charles Christen, Fred Linn, Peter Kirsch, James Hurst, Lee Baumgartner and Jacob Martin. If you should search the city over with a fine tooth comb you could not select a better bunch of men to whom to give the power which accompanies their offices. Not a breath can be said against them morally, and each is known for his business ability. They are the kind of men you would turn your business over to without a worry. They are big men for the jobs and every citizen of Decatur should realize that fact.

The republican organ bristles up nerve enough to make the startling statement that "The success of the ticket gives no promise of lessened municipal taxes or of any change in local affairs in the way of public expenditures." As to there being any change those who have investigated for themselves will not have to be informed, for they realize something of the work that has been done by the present council. Perhaps some of the newer arrivals in Decatur do not know the present council, guided by Charles N. Christen as chairman of the finance committee, have during the past seven years, paid off more than \$100,000 of the city debt and that now for the first time in many years, the city debt is below the two per cent limit. No there will be no change in the management of the city's affairs, and the people want none. They are content that men who have proven efficient and honest should continue to have power and they are content with a council of men who will follow out the work of the two last city councils. As to the statement that election of these men does not mean a change in the city tax, any person who makes it, either does not know or is purposely mis-stating the facts. The democratic councils of the past eight years have paid off the debt, a large part of which was made by a republican council, and they have done it on a tax as small as was imposed before they took up the reins of city

government. The debt has been disposed of and the tax will necessarily be reduced in the immediate future. The people know these facts and will support the men who have been nominated by the democrats at the November election, thus insuring the years of labor they have performed.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

I, L. G. Ellingham, Secretary of State of the State of Indiana, hereby certify that the Decatur Cement Roof & Block Company has this day caused to be filed in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Indiana, the properly signed and attested consents, statements and papers required by Section One of an act of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, entitled "An act describing the method and procedure for the voluntary dissolution of private corporations," approved March 9, 1903.

And I further certify that said written consents, statements and papers so filed as aforesaid show that said company and the officers thereof have complied with the provisions of said Section One of said act and that said corporation is now in process of dissolution.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Indiana, at the City of Indianapolis, this 22nd day of September, A. D., 1913.

L. G. ELLINGHAM,
Secretary of State.

Fort Wayne & Springfield Ry. Company.

TIME TABLE.

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Cars leave Decatur at 5:50, 8:30, 11:30, 2:30, 5:30, 9:30; arrive at Fort Wayne at 6:53, 9:40, 12:40, 3:40, 6:40 and 10:40.

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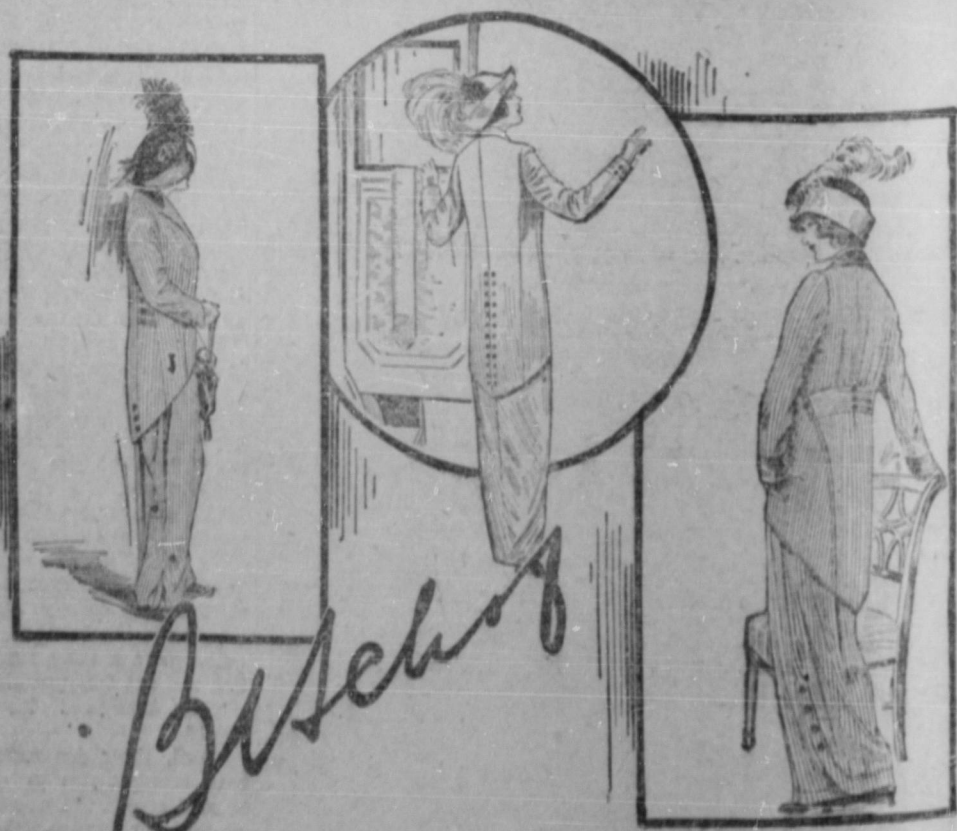
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